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Ms. Velma T. Smith
Branch Chief
Securities and Exchange Commission
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Room 2531
100 F Street, NE
Washington, DC 20549

Dear Ms. Smith:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, ~~KapStone Paper and Packaging Corporation~~, Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on December 29, 2009. Tentative listing date – January 4, 2010.

Sincerely,